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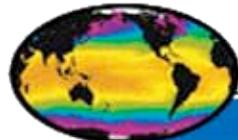
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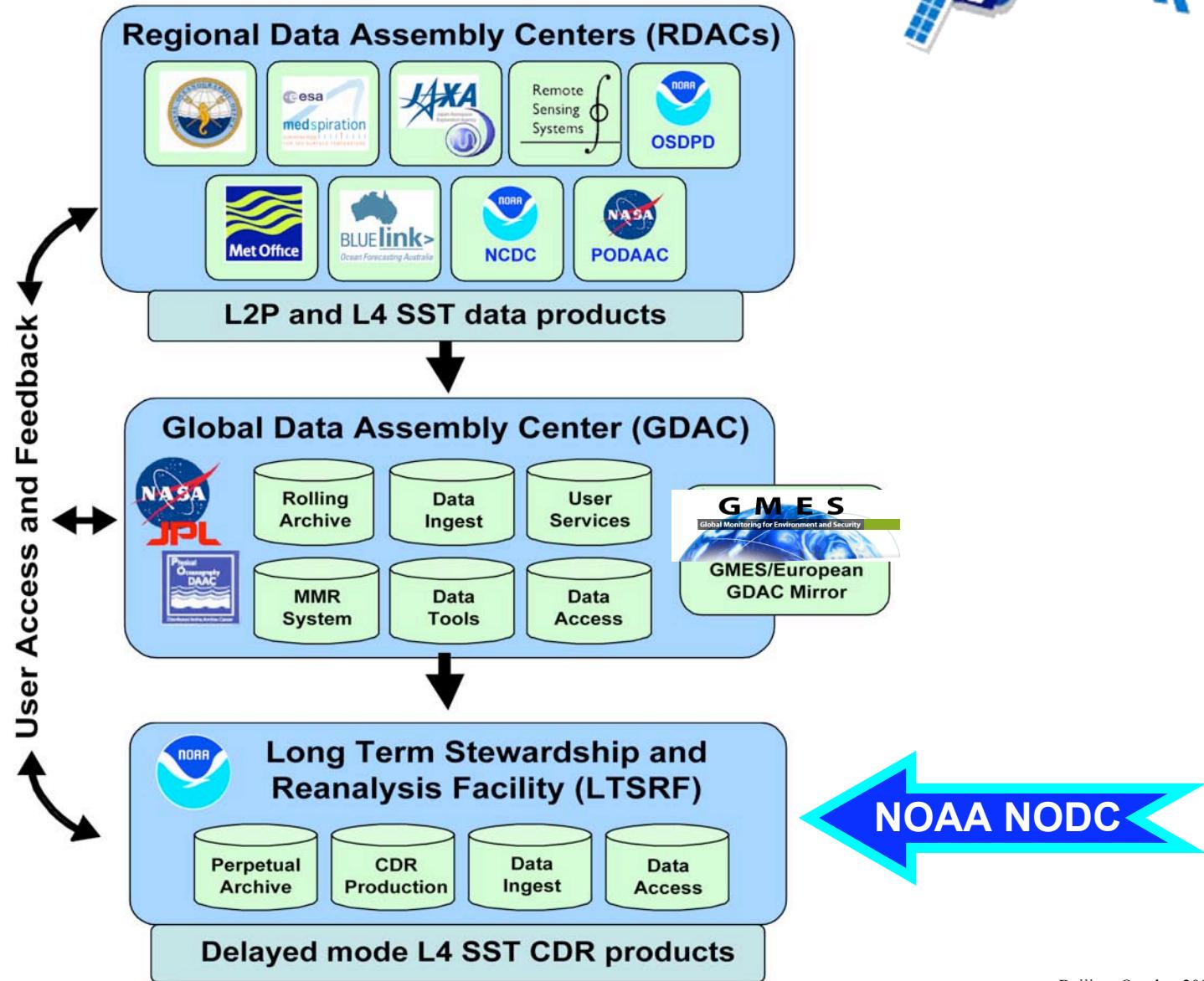
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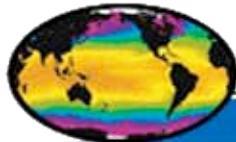
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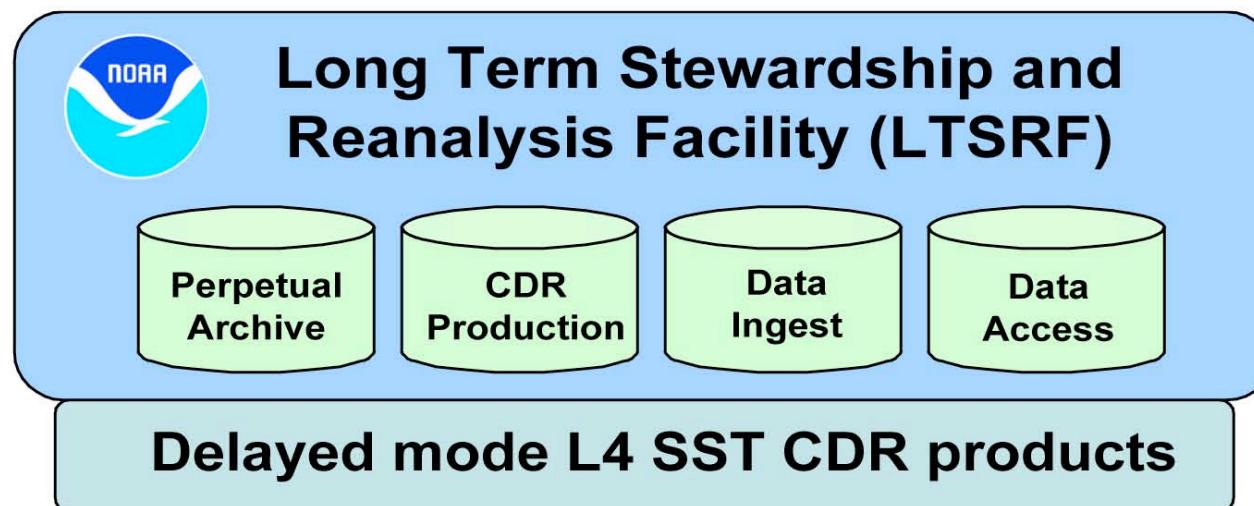
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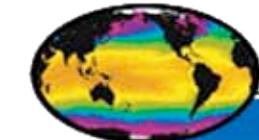


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# Stewardship and Reanalysis

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**Overview**

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**LTSRF Status**

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**GHRSSST Reanalysis**

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**Example L4 Analyses**

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**Future Activities**

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**LTSRF**  
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**Welcome!**

Welcome to the Long Term Stewardship and Reanalysis Facility (LTSRF) for the GODAE High Resolution SST (GHRSSST) Project, which seeks to rapidly and routinely deliver individual as well as multi-sensor blended SST products with high accuracy and fine spatial resolution. Please see the [GHRSSST web site](#) for detailed information on this international effort.

NODC maintains the long term archive and works with the NASA JPL/Caltech Physical Oceanography Distributed Active Archive Center (PO.DAAC) [Global Data Assembly Center \(GDAC\)](#) to provide stewardship of these valuable data sets. NODC also leads the reanalysis component of GHRSSST-PP, which will periodically reprocess the GHRSSST record to produce more accurate and consistent Level 4 (gap free, gridded) SST climate data record analysis products for the global ocean.

Follow the links below to learn more about the GHRSSST LTSRF and access the entire collection of GHRSSST data (coming soon!):

<a href="#">LTSRF Status</a>	<a href="#">LTSRF News</a>	<a href="#">Access GHRSSST Data</a>
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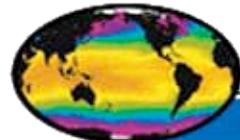
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# Current Status

## ● **Stewardship capability established at US NODC**

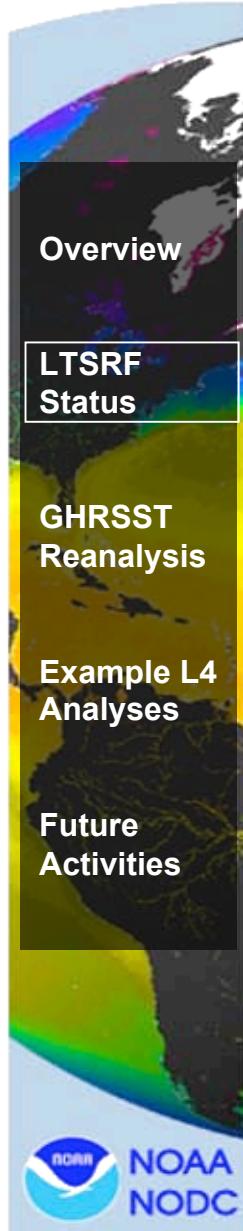
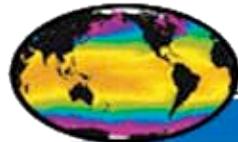
- Automatic daily acquisition and archive from GDAC
- 30-day delay from observation to archive
- All available online FTP, HTTP, and OPeNDAP
- All data searchable via NODC Ocean Archive System -  
<http://www.nodc.noaa.gov/cgi-bin/search/prod/accessionsView.pl/pref>
- Extensive metadata

## ● **Current Archive Holdings**

- 1 TB (~20 TB uncompressed) spanning 2005 and 2006
- 7583 accessions (RDAC/Sensor/Level/Date), ~100k files
- AMSR-E, AVHRR-16, AVHRR-17, AVHRR-18 (GAC and LAC/HRPT) , MODIS Aqua, SEVIRI, AATSR, TMI
- Coming Soon: MODIS Terra and GOES

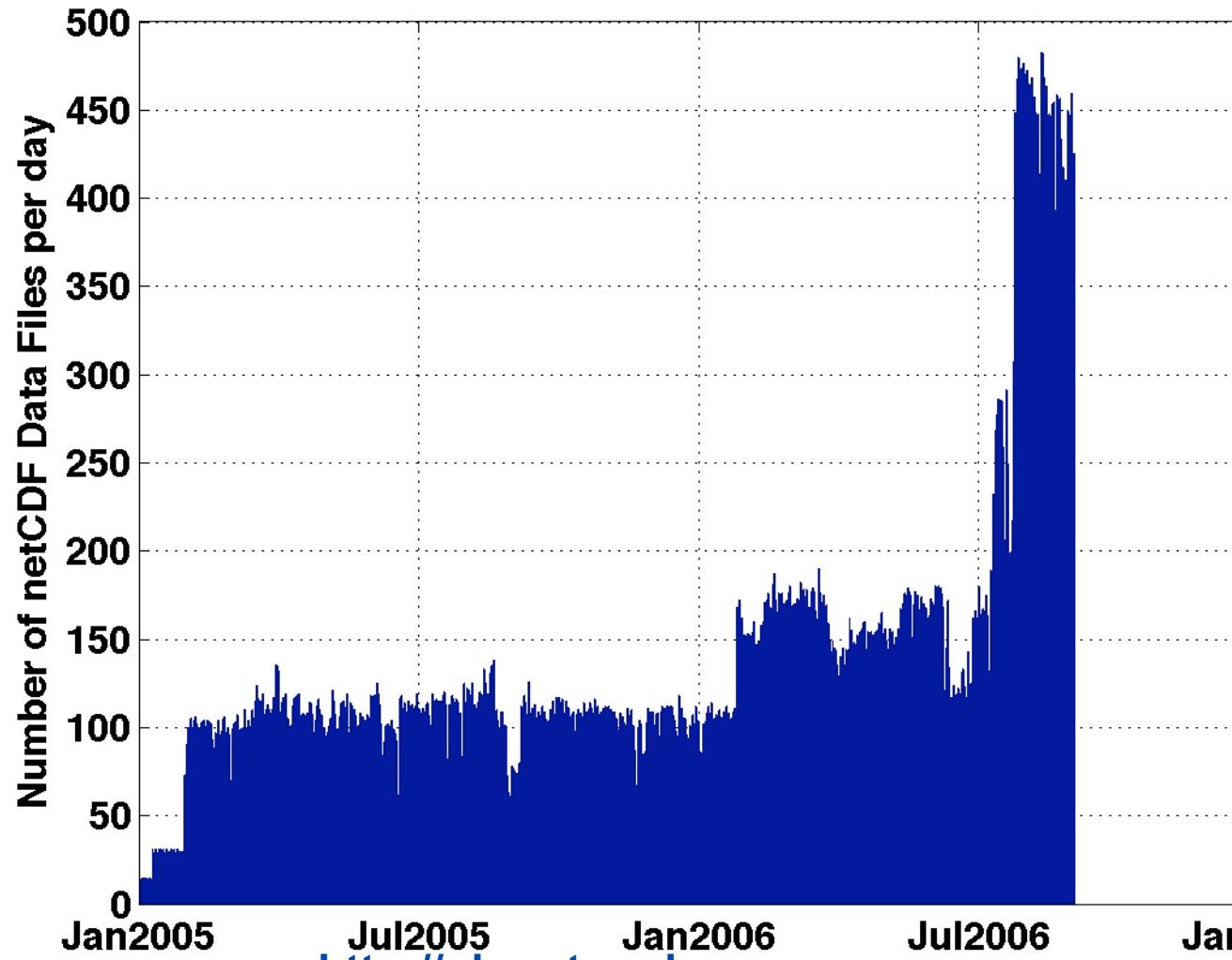
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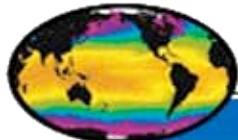
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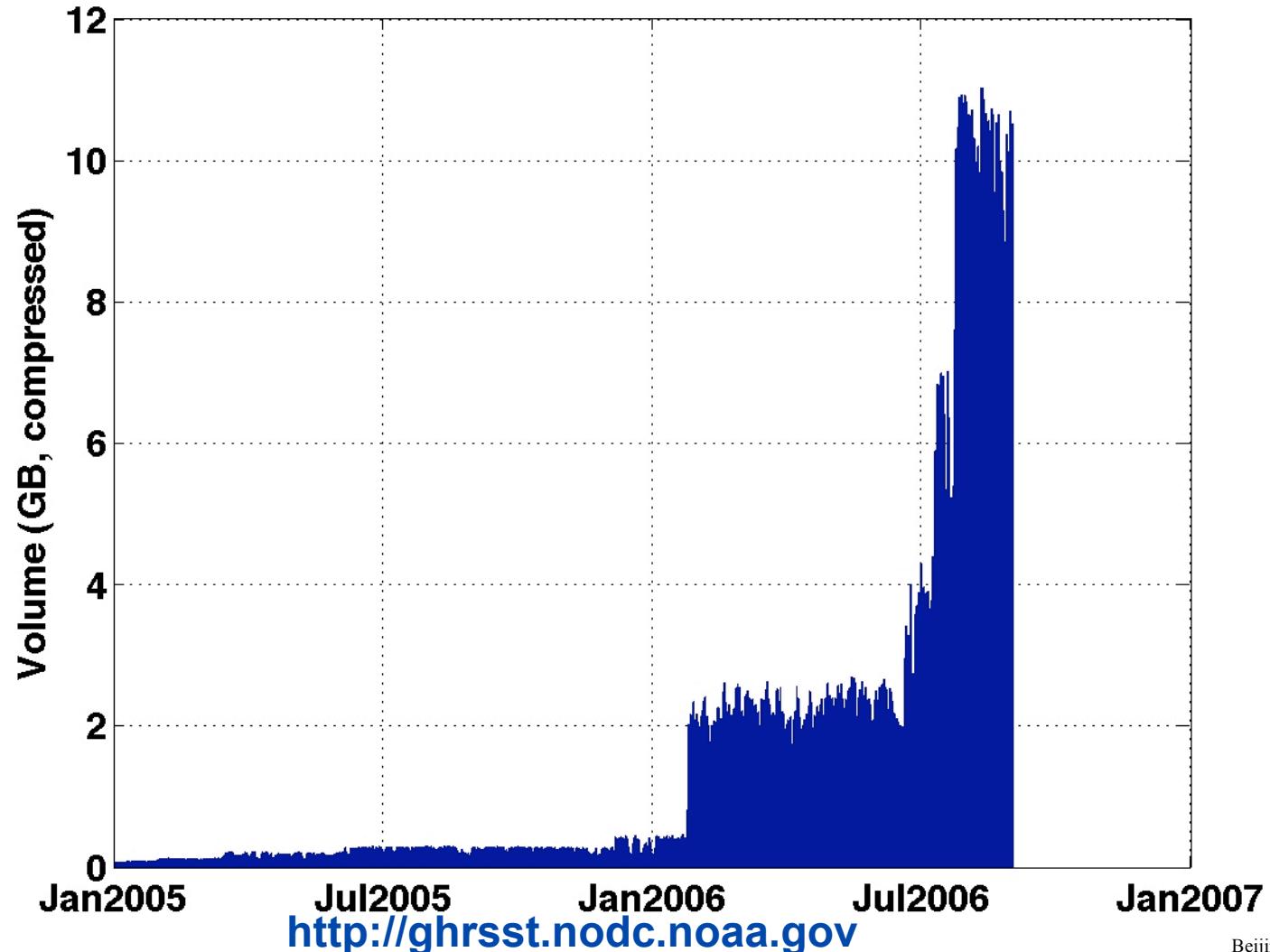


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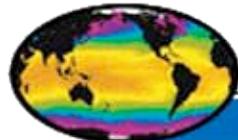


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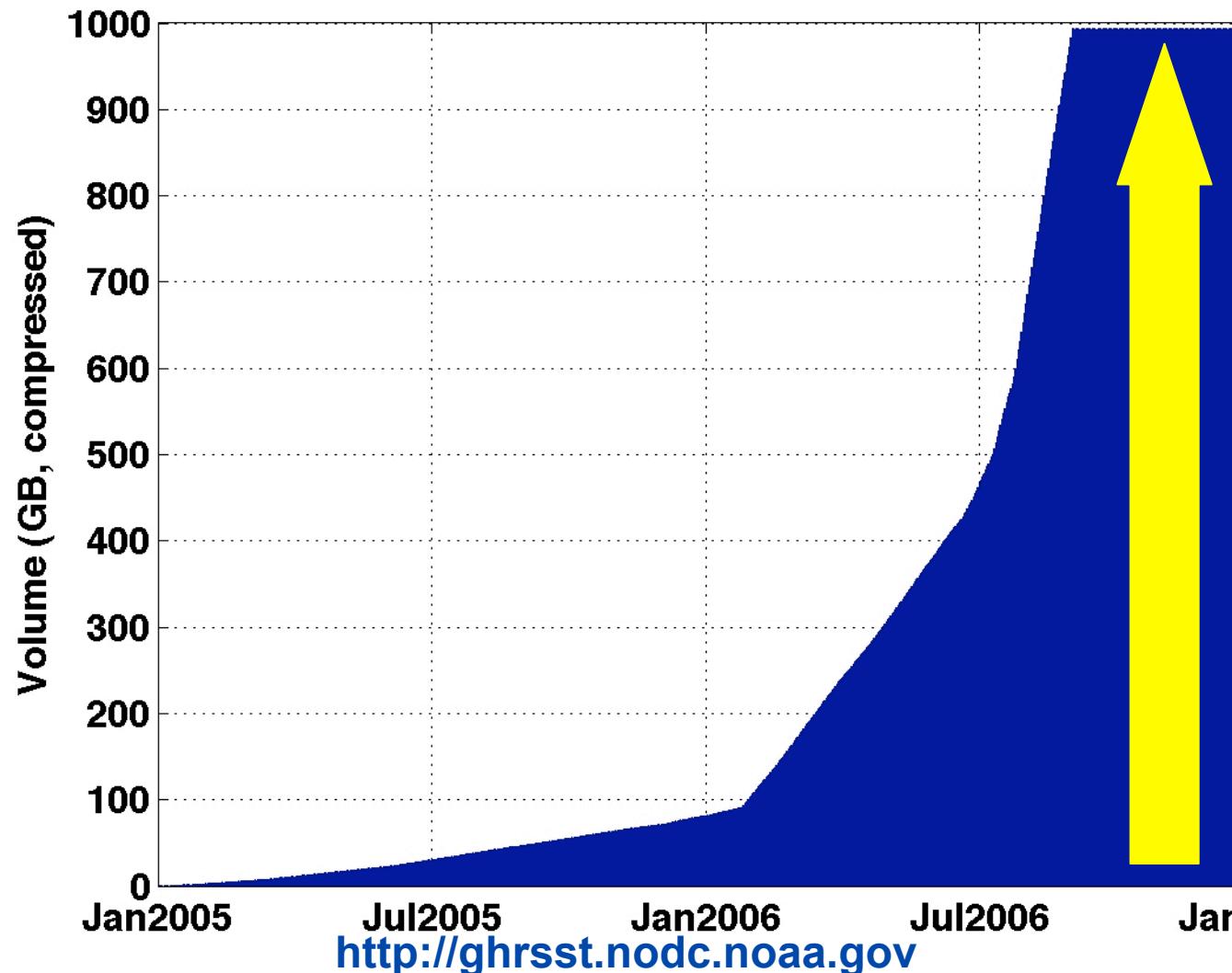


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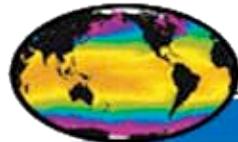
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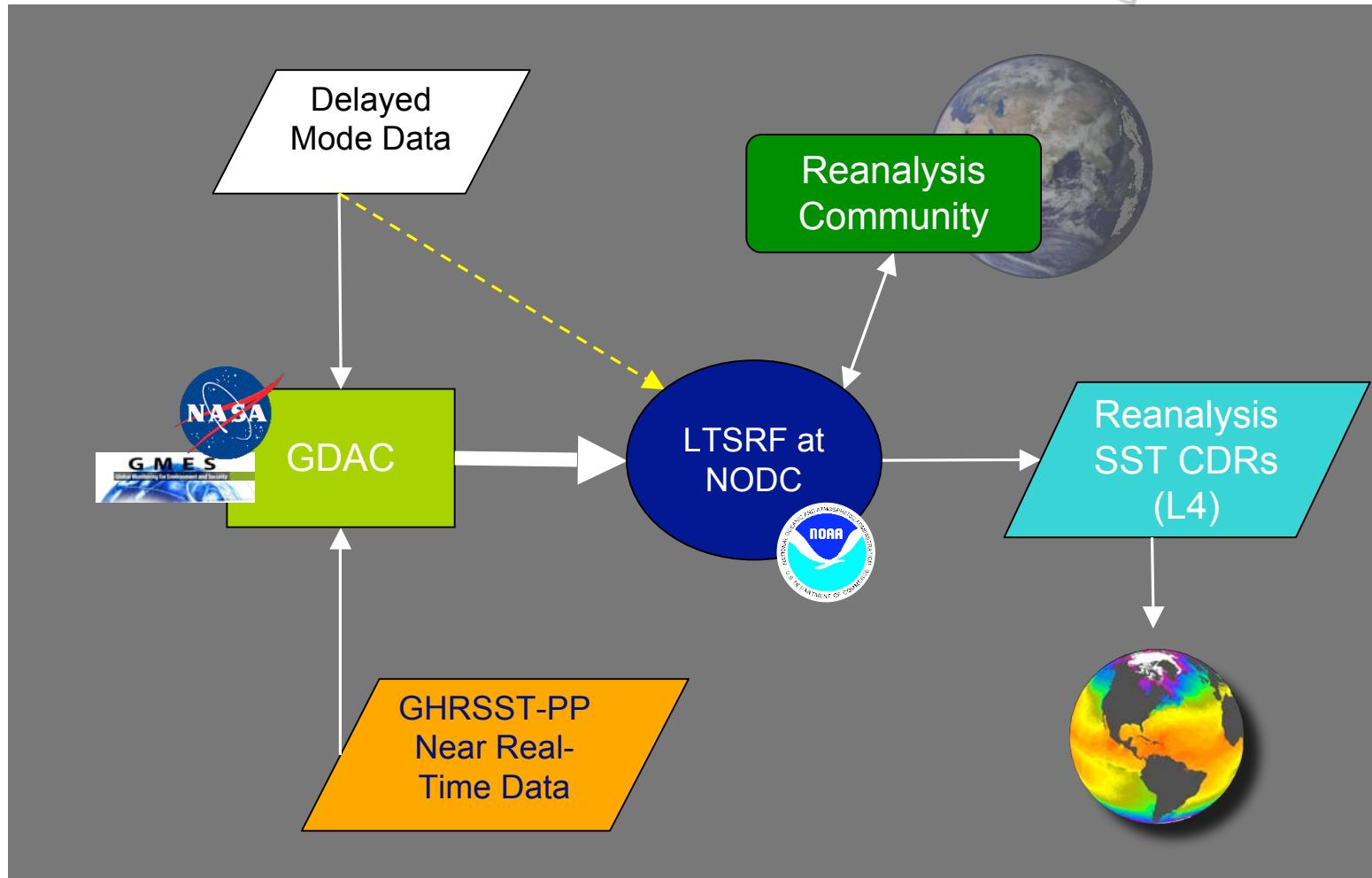
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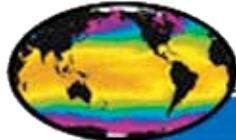
# GHSRST Reanalysis System Map

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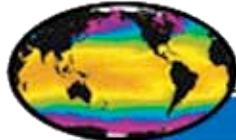


# Goals of GHRSST Reanalysis

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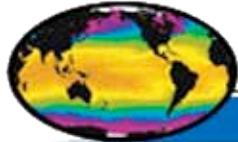
- Create delayed mode ***climate data records*** with higher accuracy and consistency
- Link to longer term climate data
- Enable a ***sustained reprocessing capability***
- Adhere to the **GCOS Climate Monitoring Principles**



# Delayed-Mode Improvements

**Reanalysis can improve over near real time analysis by making use of:**

- **Late-arriving data**
- **Reprocessed L2P data**
- **Improved matchups, errors statistics, analysis procedures, diurnal models**
- **Techniques which require data from “future” observations**
- **Procedures too demanding for near real time production**
- **Consistent procedures for entire time series**



# RAN Technical Advisory Group

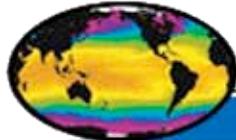
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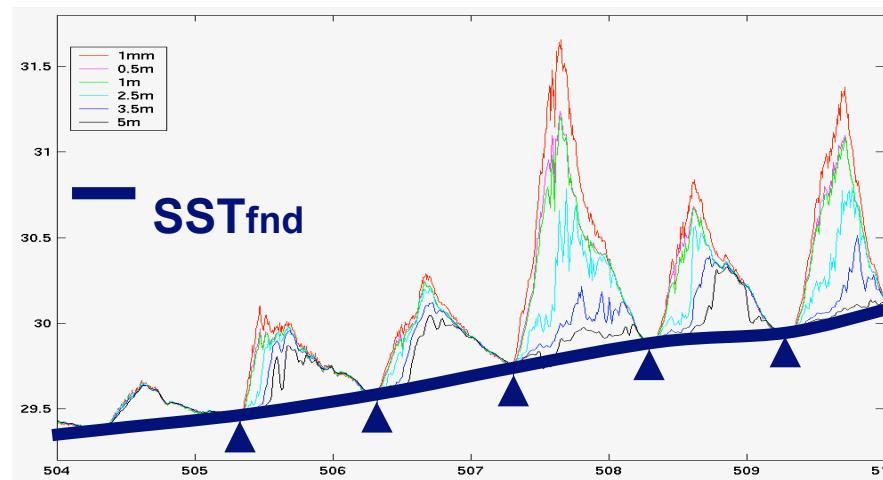


# Reanalysis Product Specifications

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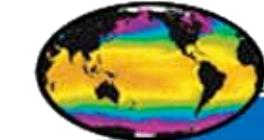


- **Spatial: Global 5-10km**
- **Temporal: Once per day**
- **Type of SST: SST<sub>fnd</sub>**
- **Error Stats: Bias and Standard Deviation**
- **Format: L4 netCDF with CF metadata**



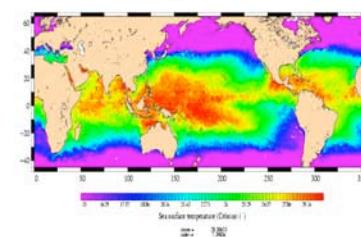
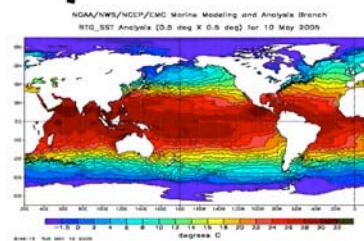
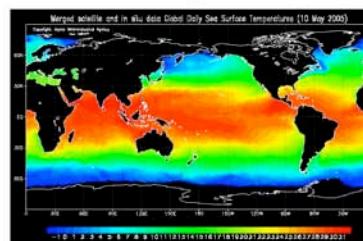
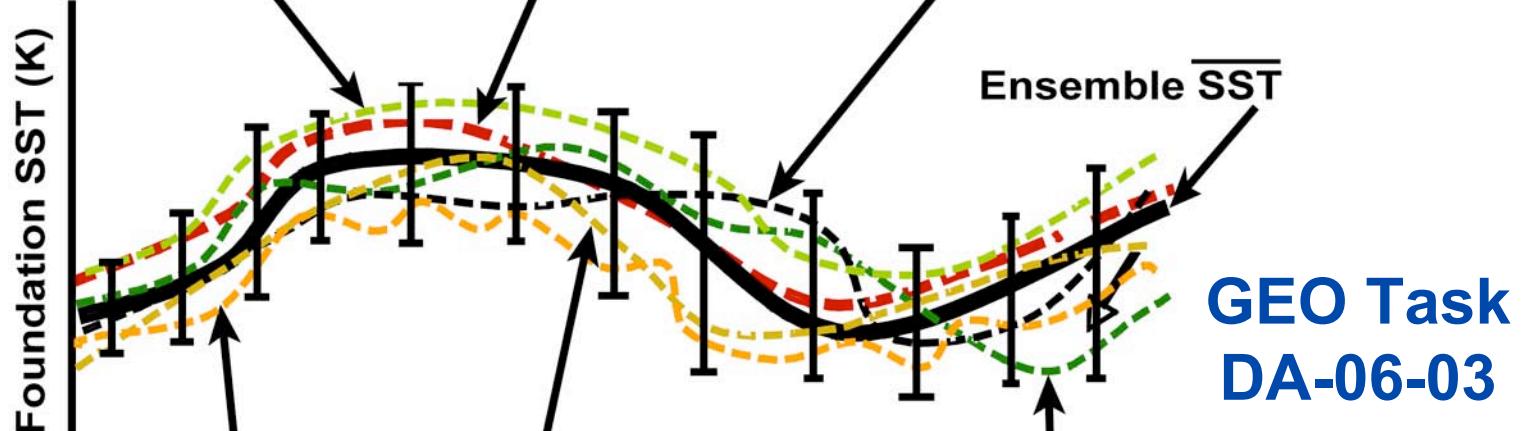
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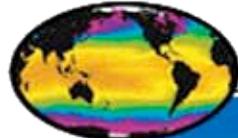
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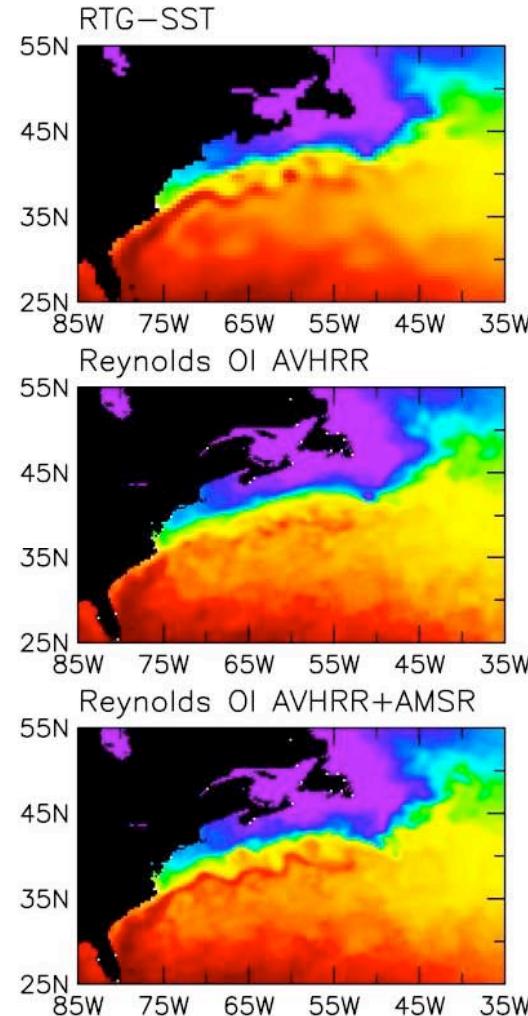
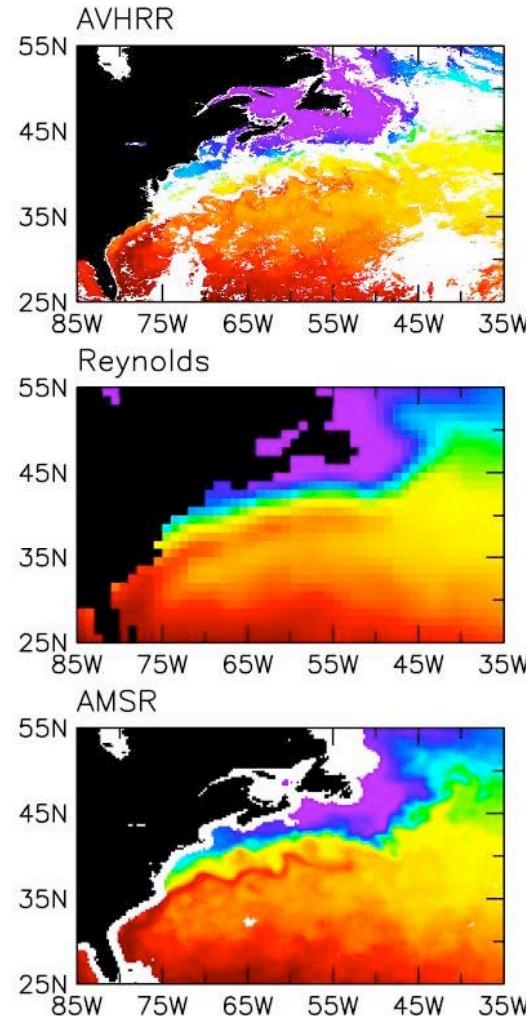


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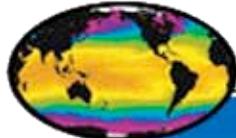
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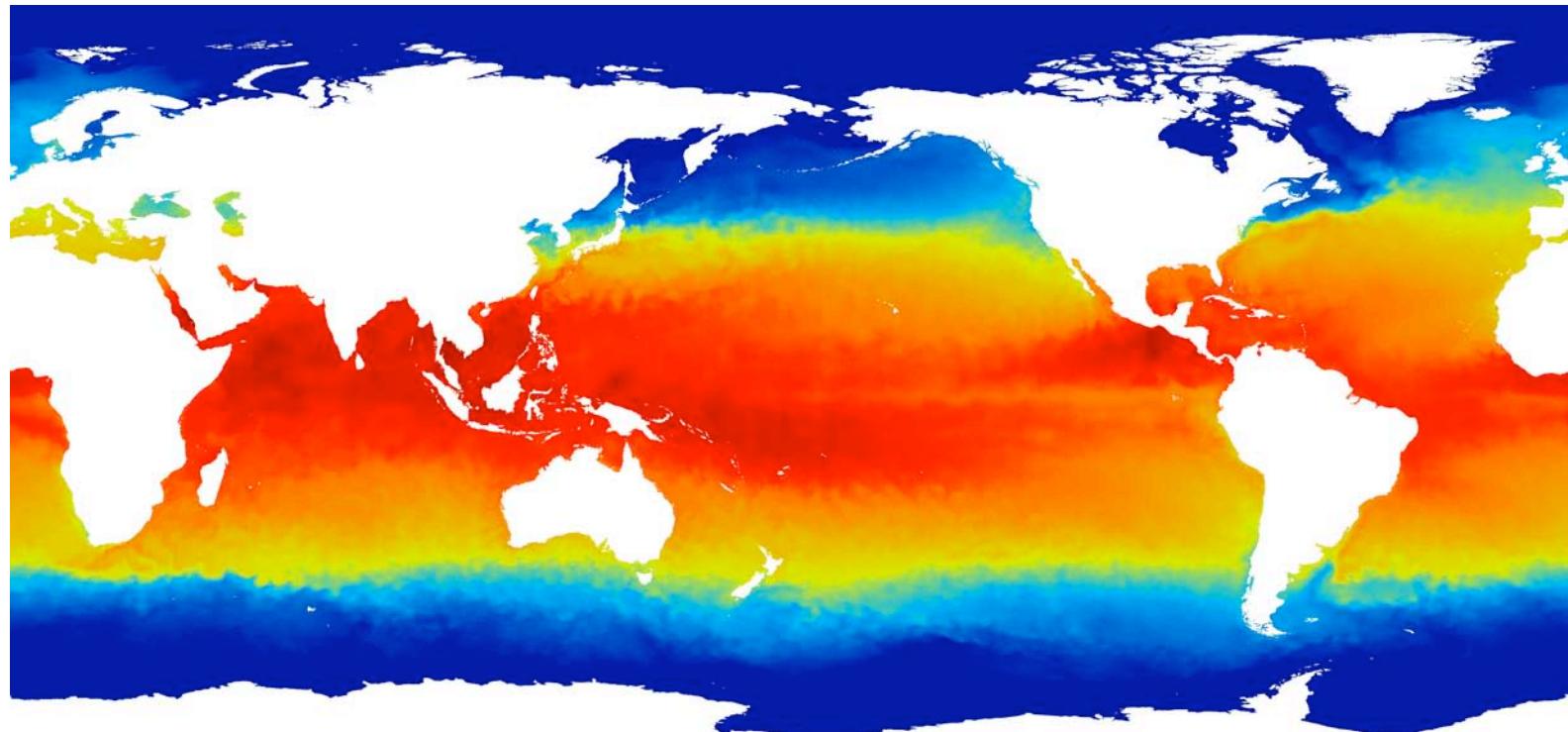
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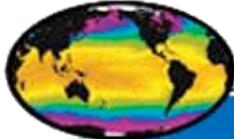


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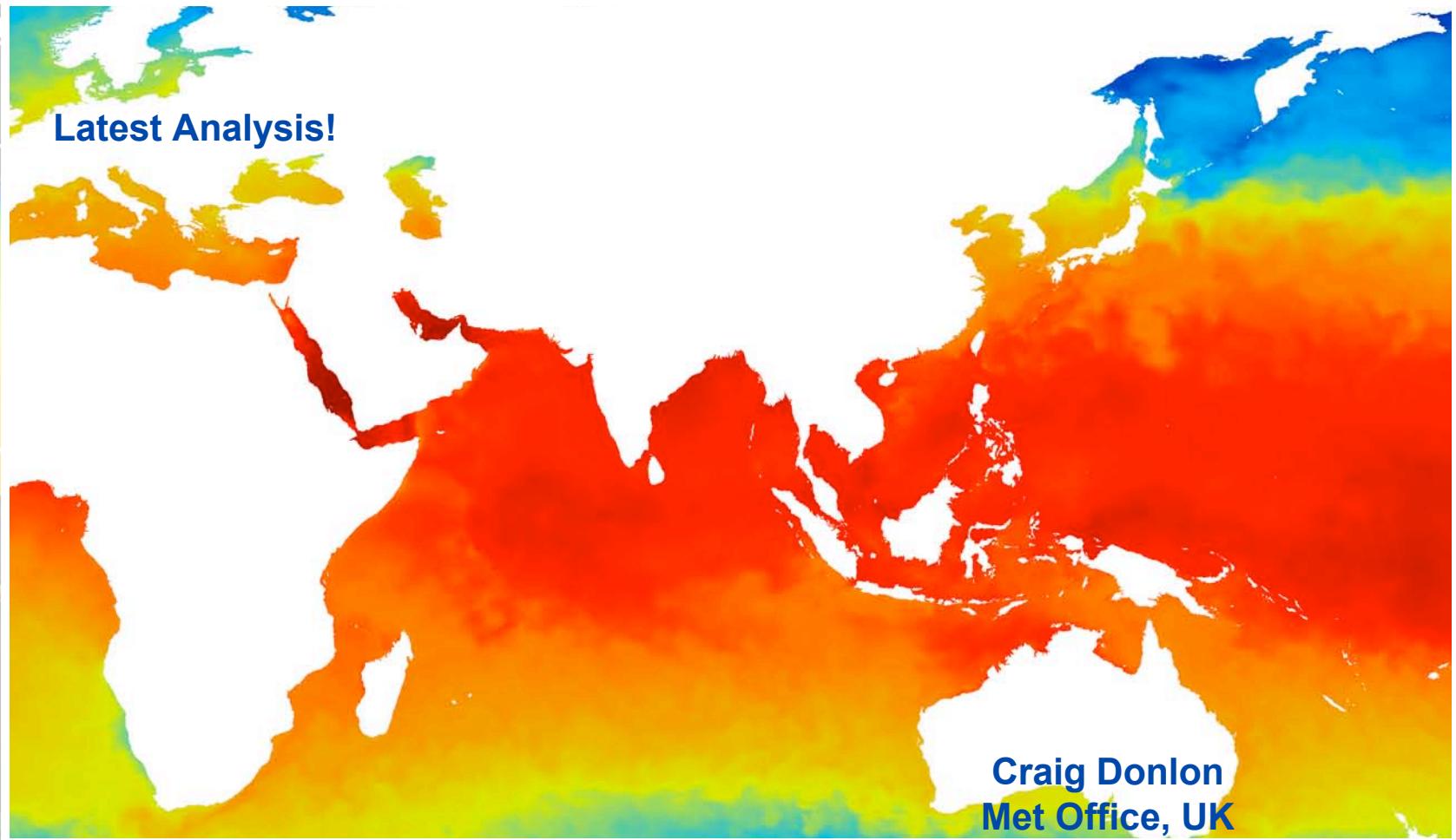
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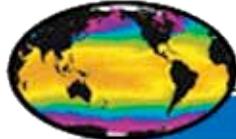
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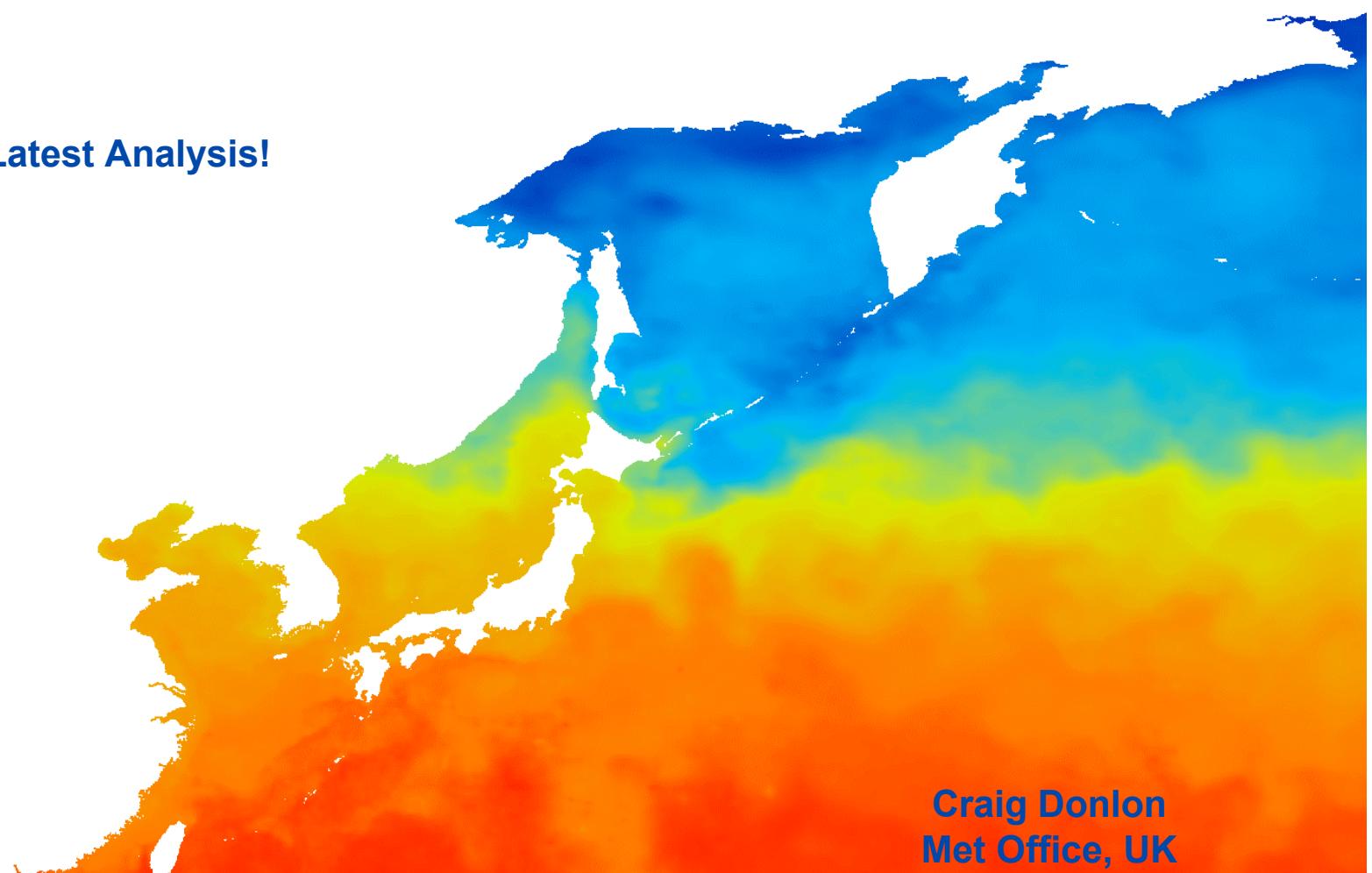


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Latest Analysis!



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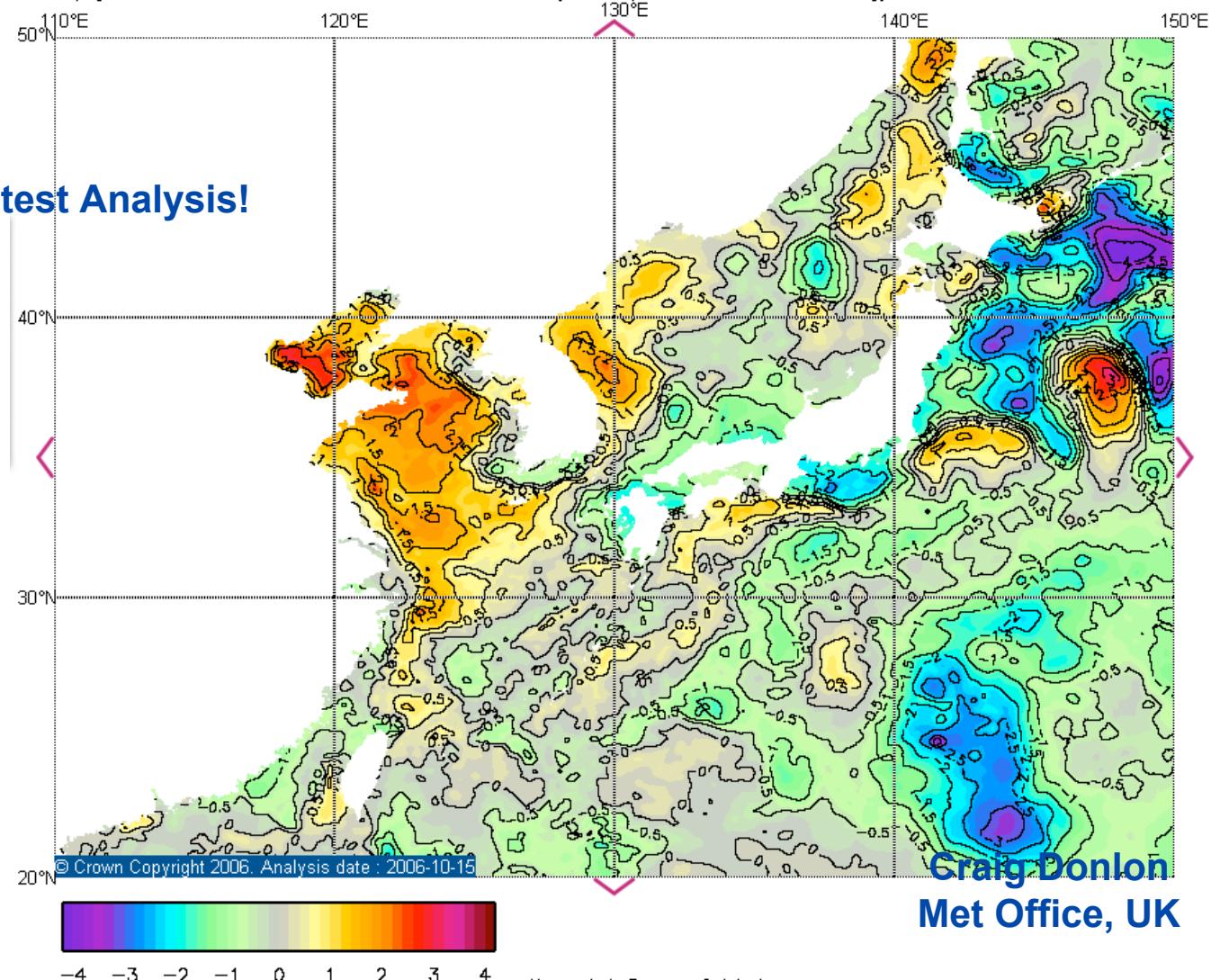
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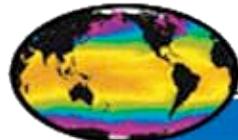
## OSTIA SSTs

This page shows the current SST anomalies from the OSTIA analysis compared to NCEP Oliv2 climatology.



[Link to this page SST plot for this region.](#)

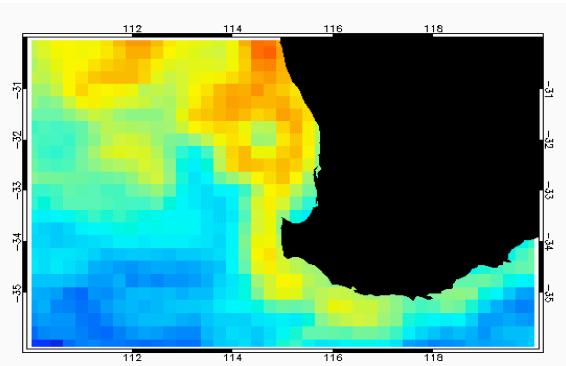
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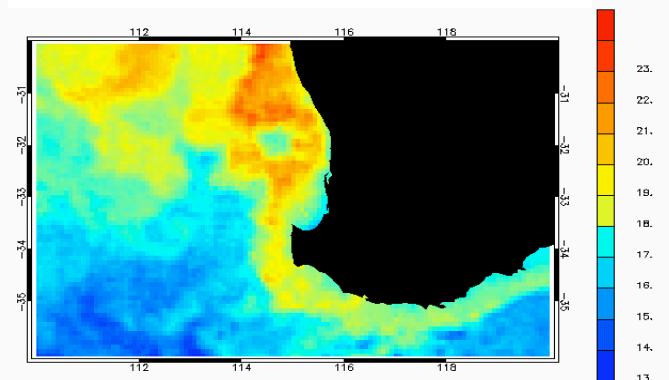
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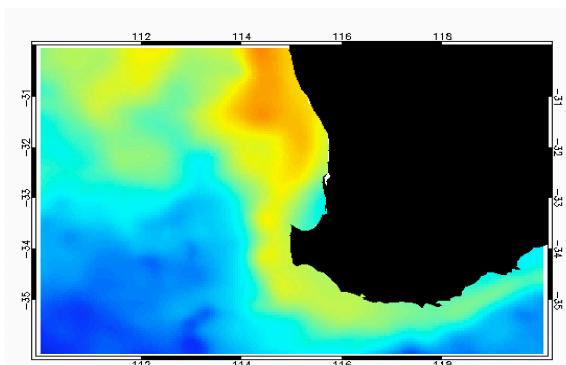
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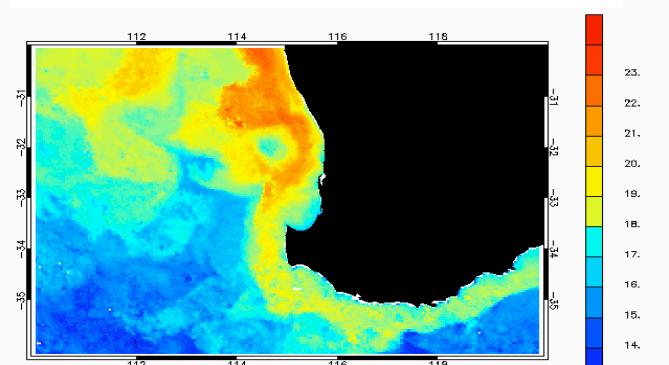
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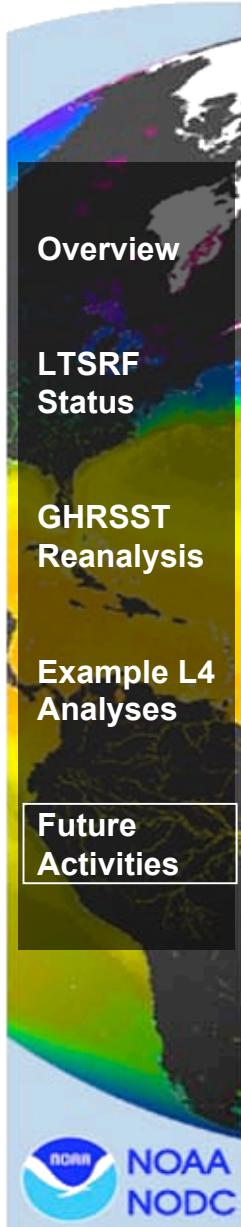
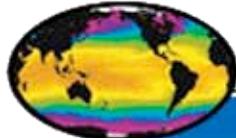
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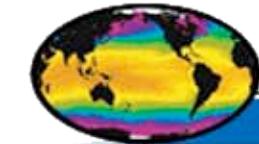
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# Ongoing and Future Activities

- Now that archive and stewardship functions are in place, focus on reanalysis efforts (the *RF* in *LTSRF*)
- Clearly identifying (and encouraging) L2P reprocessing efforts
- GCOS SST and SI Intercomparisons: collecting data, unified access
- 1st GHRSS Reanalysis and ensembles



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